



All Saints' C.E. Primary School

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Dear Parents and carers,

As you will be aware, we have recently had another OFSTED inspection. The previous inspection, in March, identified a number of areas for improvement upon which staff and governors took immediate action. Unfortunately, our latest inspection occurred before these changes and others taken previously, could take full effect or be reflected in the school's data for 2018. We are disappointed by OFSTED's latest judgement that the school 'requires improvement' in certain areas in order to be judged 'good' overall.

Leaders and managers have acted decisively to address the areas for improvement identified at the last inspection, and we are proud of the improvements that have been made to the wider curriculum, maths and writing. This is already having a positive impact. We are on the right track to deliver the improvements required and are encouraged by school's many strengths, particularly the nurturing ethos, with the well-being of every child at its heart. We encourage you to read the report in full, which you can access by following this link: [http://allsaints-](http://allsaints-alrewas.staffs.sch.uk/sitetemplate/allsaints/uploads/INSPECTION%20REPORT/Ofsted%20REPORT%20November%202018.pdf)

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Many of the areas we need to focus on were addressed by our school improvement plan which, as OFSTED recognised, is sharply focussed and will make a difference to improving outcomes for all learners. The plan has been revisited and strengthened in light of the inspection and fully addresses all of the areas where further improvement is needed. It will be actively followed through within the context of the ambitious culture that OFSTED recognised leaders and governors have established at All Saints.

We truly value the support we receive from parents and the wider community, and we will be holding open mornings early in the New Year, to enable parents to see our school improvement plan in action and to provide opportunities for us to answer any questions. Dates will be announced in our next newsletter. If, in the meantime, you would like to discuss any aspect of the report, please contact the school through the usual channels.

We are determined that every child in our school should reach their full potential, through high expectations, consistent top-quality teaching, unwavering support, effective use of assessment and challenging activities. We are very confident the actions we are taking will swiftly build upon the progress already made and deliver the required outcomes in all of the areas highlighted for improvement. Be assured that governors and staff at All Saints are totally united in their commitment to drive the school forward with the utmost urgency and determination.

Ms Golden on behalf of all staff

Mrs Durrant (Chair of Governors) on behalf of all governors.